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Application No. 09/982,753
Amendment dated
Reply to Office Action of March 7, 2006

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Docket No.: 36488-169993

REMARKS

Reconsideration of this application is respectfully requested.

Based on the above Amendment, the following Remarks, Applicants respectfully request that the Examiner reconsider all outstanding rejections and that they be withdrawn.

Upon entry of the foregoing amendment, claims 1-5, 21-24, and 38 are pending in this application, with claims 1 and 21 being the independent claims. These changes are believed to introduce no new matter, and their entry is respectfully requested.

In the Advisory Action of September 27, 2006, the Action indicated that the claims would be allowable if amended to overcome a rejection under 35 U.S.C. 101. Applicants thank the Examiner for indicating allowable subject matter. Claims 1 and 21 are amended to recite storing "said recreated equivalent physical-file-based data." Applicants submit that claims 1 and 21 as amended recite a concrete, tangible and useful result. Therefore it is respectfully submitted that independent claims 1 and 21 are now allowable. As this amendment places all claims in allowable form, entry is respectfully requested.

Claims 2-4, 8-14, and 16 depend from claim 1 and are allowable as being dependent on an allowable claim.

Claims 22-24 and 38 depend from claim 21 and are allowable as being dependent on an allowable claim.

If the Examiner is of the opinion that the prosecution of this application would be advanced by a personal interview, the Examiner is invited to telephone undersigned counsel to arranged for such an interview.

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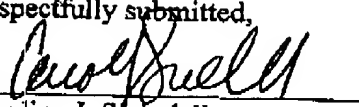
In view of the above amendment, applicant believes the pending application is in condition for allowance.

Dated:

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Respectfully submitted,

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